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Applicants request correction of the Filing Receipt for the above-referenced application. The filing receipt mailed on March 23, 2001 (the "March 23<sup>rd</sup> Receipt") (Exhibit 1) includes a notation that the continuing data as claimed by applicants is inconsistent with PTO records. The continuing data shown on the March 23<sup>rd</sup> Receipt is as follows: "This application is a DIV of 08/631,793 04/10/1996 PAT 6,208,531 which is a CON of 08/077,011 06/14/1993 ABN \*" As discussed below, this data is accurate.

The filing receipt (Exhibit 2) and returned postcard (Exhibit 3) for the original application show that the application number, 08/077,011, and filing date, 06/14/93, are in agreement with the data claimed by applicants on the March 23<sup>rd</sup> Receipt. The filing receipt (Exhibit 4) and returned postcard (Exhibit 5) for the parent application show that the application number, 08/631,793, filing date, 04/10/96, and that the parent is a continuation of the original application are in agreement with the data claimed by applicants on the March 23<sup>rd</sup> Receipt. The File Wrapper Continuation Application (Exhibit 6) confirms that parent application was filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.62 which results in abandonment of the original application. The cover page (Exhibit 7) of the patent granted on the parent application confirms that the patent number, 6,208,531, and the claim of priority to the original application are accurate as shown on the

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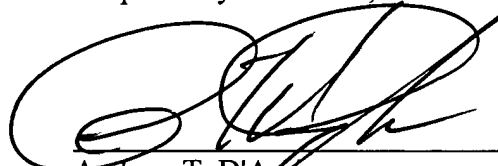
March 23<sup>rd</sup> Receipt. The cover page of the patent also confirms that the parent application (which issued on March 27, 2001) and the present application (which was filed on November 21, 2000) were copending. Finally, the stamped postcard receipt (Exhibit 8) for this application shows that the application number, 09/174,453, and filing date, 11/21/2000 are in agreement with the data claimed by applicants on the March 23<sup>rd</sup> Receipt.

As shown above, all of the data in applicants' claim of priority is accurate. Applicants request a corrected filing receipt free of remarks that the continuing data is inconsistent with PTO records. A copy of the original Filing Receipt showing the desired changes in red ink is attached as Exhibit 1 for your convenience.

Please call the undersigned attorney with any questions regarding this request. No fee is believed to be due. If, however, there are any charges or credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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